IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Dobbs, et al.

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For: "IMPROVED HAIR SPRAY AND

CONSUMER SPRAYS WITH REDUCED VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS"

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Reply Under 37 CFR §1.111 INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 6, 2009, Applicants submit the following amendment and remarks. The period for response having been extended by the petition and fee filed herewith, consideration of the following amendment remarks is respectfully requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 05-0221.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.